

Welcome to Worship!

We pray that you feel the warmth and love of Christ as you enter and that you sense God's presence in worship. If there is anything we can do for you, please do not hesitate in letting us know. We are grateful that you are here today.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sun. 08/12 Worship Services, 8 & 10AM
Sunday School for all Ages, 9AM
Choir Practice, 9:15AM

Tues. 08/14 Men's Prayer Group, 7AM
AA, 7PM Al-Anon, 7PM

Wed. 08/15 Trustee Meeting, 8AM
Weight Watchers, 4:30PM
Choir Practice, 5:30PM

Fri. 08/17 Celebrate Recovery Team, departs at 5PM
Sat 08/18 AA, 7PM

Sun. 08/19 Worship Services, 8 & 10AM
Sunday School for all Ages, 9AM
Choir Practice, 9:15AM

CELEBRATE RECOVERY MINISTRY, Friday, 08/17

A meal is provided at the Friday evening meetings once a month for the participants in "Celebrate Recovery". **Cookies are needed for the ministry.** They can be baked ahead, marked "C.R" and placed in the church freezer. Thank you so much for being a part of the ministry in this way. If you have any questions please call Dick or Betty Erwin.

COMMUNITY SINGSPARATION, August 19th at 4 PM at LUMC

An offering to benefit the Stegall Seminary Foundation will be received. Refreshments of Homemade Cobblers, Blue Bell Ice Cream and Watermelon will be served after the event in the Fellowship Hall.

LADIES LUNCH BUNCH, August 23rd.

Enjoy lunch at the "Oyster Bar" in Perdido Key. Please call Judith Wittig at 850-492-5654 for a head count. Carpool from the church at 10:30AM.

KING'S KIDS will be held Sunday, August 26th, from 2 - 5pm for a back to school party. Come join us for a splish, splash water slide bash and hot dog. Any questions call Joyce Ellison 752-5062. Thank you.

Stegall Seminary Scholarship

Donations will be received through August. Please mark gifts "Stegall Foundation". *Information flyers are on the Opportunity Table.*

Lillian United Methodist Church

REACHING OUT WITH GOD'S LOVE

THE BOOK OF RUTH



Ruth 1:16,17 *"Don't urge me to leave you or to turn back from you. Where you go I will go, and where you stay I will stay. Your people will be my people and your God my God. ¹⁷ Where you die I will die, and there I will be buried. May the Lord deal with me, be it ever so severely, if anything but death separates you and me."*

Ruth 4:13-17 *"Boaz took Ruth and she became his wife . . . The Lord enabled her to conceive, and she gave birth to a son. . . and they named him Obed. He became the father of Jesse, the father of David."*

August 12, 2018

TWELVTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

PRELUDE AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign the registration pad ! Thank you!

* **HYMN # 365** "Grace Greater Than Our Sin"

* **Affirmation of Faith #881** "The Apostles Creed"

CELEBRATION OF BEING STEWARDS OF GOD

OFFERTORY MUSIC

Blake Riley, Minister of Music

Doxology #95 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son & Holy Ghost.

"**God Bless America**" "God bless America, land that I love, Stand beside her and guide her, Through the night with the light from above. From the mountains to the prairies, to the oceans white with foam, God bless America, my home sweet home, God bless America, my home sweet home".

SCRIPTURE

Ruth 1:16,17; 2:12, 4:13-17

CHILDREN'S MOMENT (10AM)

HYMN # 527

"Do, Lord, Remember Me"

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORDS PRAYER

SERMON

The Book Of Ruth

* **HYMN # 338**

"Where He Leads Me"

* CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

"Lord we praise you for redeeming us by the precious blood of Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior. We thank you for using Ruth and rewarding her love and loyalty. Her faithfulness allowed her to be used of you in a mighty way. May your Spirit guide us that we to would faithfully go where you lead and do all that we can to bring you honor and praise. AMEN!"

* **SONG OF SENDING FORTH # 394**

"Something Beautiful"

*Please stand if able.

A LOOK AT OUR FAITHFULNESS

Attendance 08/05/18: **204** Offering to the General Fund: **\$7,203.90**

IN HIS SERVICE

8AM Ushers / Greeters: Ann Brock / Brenda Nicolaison

10AM Greeters: Peggy Briese / Bud Martin

10AM Ushers: Scott & Kathy Ingraham

Outreach: June Dupree

Today

Counters: Madelyn Jones
Joan Shuck

Next Sunday

Jane Harper
Charlie Clark

Nursery Available from 9AM - 11AM for Birth to 3yrs .

A cry room is located at the back of the sanctuary. Children's Church for ages 4 yrs. thru 1st grade dismiss from sanctuary after Children's Moment. Activity Bags for ages 7-10 are located on the Opportunity Table for children remaining in sanctuary worship.

WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST MEMBER

Danon Brantley joined LUMC on August 5th. His address is P.O. Box 507, Lillian, Phone # 962-3711. We are so happy to welcome Danon into our church family.

Happy Birthday & Anniversary !

14 Anthony Clark 14 Frances Garner 17 John Dean

17 Ken Foster 12 Joe & Claudia Keller 14 Roger & Char Kuhr

16 Frank & Tammy Koskie

PRAYER CONCERNS

Alan Rundall	Eleanor Arnold	Pat Hobbs	Bob Harris
Barbara Chapman	Bill & Ann Suttle	Jay Dufer	Carole Williams
Bob Donnenwirth	Terry Gravatt	Elaine Cunningham	

BI-ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT - Please contact the church office if you are interested in receiving your contribution statement for Jan.- June, 2018 and a statement will be generated for you.

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